



SUMMER BENEFIT . . . South Bay Tri-Delta Alumnae will again stage a mid-summer benefit party next Wednesday at the Polynesian restaurant. Proceeds from the brunch and card party will go to purchase equipment for the pediatric ward at Harbor General Hospital. Amid a tropical decor are, left, Mrs. Hobart T. Schramm of Palos Verdes and Mrs. Mark V. McKie of Hollywood Riviera, chairman of the bridge and canasta party.

For Children

Tri-Delta Alums Benefit on July 15

A promise of warm weather, sunny skies and fine food add up to assure the success of South Bay Tri Delta alumnae's benefit party next Wednesday, July 15, at the Polynesian Restaurant in Torrance.

Some 250 friends and members of Delta Delta Delta, all in gay casual cottons, are expected to attend the 11 a.m. brunch and to enjoy an afternoon of bridge and canasta, according to Mrs. John M. Basler, Palos Verdes Estates, general chairman.

Each guest, Mrs. Basler said, will be presented with a gift in keeping with the tropical decor of the restaurant. There will be door prizes and a prize for the high bridge or canasta scorer at each table.

All proceeds from the benefit will be donated to the pediatric department at Harbor

General Hospital for new equipment.

Aiding Mrs. Basler in party arrangements are Mrs. Edward B. Wilder, Rolling Hills Estates, alumnae president; Mmes. John Van Camp and Carl Stoffers, tickets and reservations; Mrs. Mark U. McKie, bridge and canasta; Mrs. Donald C. Kane, door prizes; and Mrs. Philip Slater and Miss Barbara A. Peterson, decorations. Tickets may be obtained by calling Mrs. John Van Camp or Mrs. Carl Stoffers.

Honored on Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sears spent two weeks in June at Moro Bay where they were houseguests at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hickman of Delano.

One June 9, Mr. and Mrs. Sears celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary. The Hickmans and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Graham of Bakersfield entertained at a dinner party for them. Mrs. Hickman and Mrs. Graham had entertained

at a bridal shower for Mrs. Sears prior to her wedding 42 years ago. The guest list for dinner included four other couples from the San Joaquin Valley who had also attended showers and the wedding.

After their two weeks in Moro Bay, the Sears returned to Torrance for two days before going to Mesa, Ariz., where they spent two weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Trezise and family.



OFF TO CONFERENCE . . . Leaving Torrance today by car were, from left, Mrs. Milton Huber, Miss Virginia Burton, Mrs. R. B. Evans and Mrs. Maurice Ransom, who will attend the YWCA Western Regional Conference at Estes Park, Colo. This group will represent the Torrance YWCA. Miss Burton is Y-Teen director. Mrs. Huber and Mrs. Ransom are past presidents of the local Y-Wives, and Mrs. Evans is treasurer. The delegates will return to Torrance on July 20.

Former Resident

Nancy Farrell Is Mrs. F. K. Lyon

Miss Nancy Kathleen Farrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farrell of La Mirada, formerly of Torrance, was a lovely bride wearing an intermission length gown of silk peau de soie embroidered with petals of Alencon lace, when she was married to F. Keith Lyon, Jr. on June 20. The double ring wedding took place at the St. Paul of the Cross Catholic church in La Mirada.

The Farrells resided in Torrance for 14 years before moving to La Mirada, three years ago. They were active in community affairs. Nancy was graduated from Nativity school here, from Marywood in Anaheim and attended Long Beach State college where her husband will complete his senior year next semester. The couple will live at 5367 Anaheim Rd. in Long Beach after their honeymoon in Santa Maria.

Mr. Farrell walked with his daughter to the altar. Her illusion veil was held by a crown of lace petals embroidered with seed pearls and she carried a bouquet of white roses, orchids and stephanotis as well as a white missal, a gift from the bridegroom.

Rev. Owen P. Jinks officiated at the marriage and Rev. Robert Bradley gave the blessing. Miss Cynthia Lyon, sister of the bridegroom acted as maid of honor. She wore aqua blue silk organza. Bridesmaids were Misses Sheila McGraw of Fullerton, Bernice Sedlak of Anaheim, and Betty Jean Fenwick of Redondo. All wore pink silk organza.

Flower girls were Marilyn Lasso and Kathy D'Onofrio, nieces of the bride. Ushers were Jim Restek, Bill Davis and Kent Lyon. Hugh Holbert stood as best man. A reception for the 200



MISS SUE LEFFEW ... Troth Revealed (Tak Isobe)

Sue Leffew Will Wed Navy Man

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Leffew, 118 W. 204th St., today are announcing the engagement and wedding plans of their daughter, Sue, to H. R. McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDonald, of Donaldsonville, Ga.

The wedding is planned for February, 1960. The bride is a senior at Gardena High school. She will be graduated in the February class.

Mr. McDonald, a graduate of the Seminole County High school in Georgia, is serving with the United States Navy. He is an aviation storekeeper third class.

The prospective bridegroom recently returned from a two year duty in Hawaii and will leave this week for Memphis, Tenn., to attend a technical training school. He has chosen the Navy as a career.

Carol Crist, Bride-Elect, Complimented at Showers

Miss Carol Crist, bride-elect of Dale E. Rippstein, has been honored by friends and relatives at two lovely pre-nuptial showers.

White wedding bells decorated the home of Mrs. E. V. Rippstein, 2436 Gramercy Ave. when she and Mrs. G. R. Crist entertained for the future bride.

A pink heart shaped cake bearing the names "Carol and Dale" centered the dining table.

Guests attending the party were Mmes. H. W. Hill, Gladys Wardop, Virginia Powell, Anita Meador, Helen Alter, T. E. Hood, Reva Gilbert, Elna Kirk, Lee Dutton, Florence Holthaus; Messrs. and Mmes. T. Jefferson and Leonard Lifton. Also, Misses Karen Crist, Barbara Alter, Mary Sippel, Judy Bowlds; Mrs. Clara McIntyre, Susan and Sharon, Margaret Rae, and Mrs. Virginia Runion. Others invited were Mr. and

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

"I'm NOT 'nivac, Kid"

Dear Ann Landers: We are two high school seniors who need help from you. Please don't tell us to go look in the dictionary. We've already looked in several dictionaries and are no closer to the answer.

Which is correct EE-THER or EYE-THER? Also, is it pronounced TA-MAY-TO or TA-MAH-TO?

Some egg-head girl in our crowd uses the high-falootin' pronouncements and she sounds square as a chair. Before we lower the plank we thought it best to check with you. Thank you, Mom. — THE FAR OUT CATS

Dear Cats: (and I'm not your Mother). You ask me not to tell you to look in the dictionary. Where do you think I had to go for the information? I'm not Univac, kids.

According to the brand new edition of Webster's unabridged, it's either EE-THER or EYE-THER and either (or eye-ther) TA-MAY-TO, or TA-MAH-TO. You're welcome.

Dear Ann: Maybe I have a problem and don't know it. To be perfectly honest I'm just relaxed.

My husband and I have been married three years. We both have good jobs. I'm 28 and he's 33. He travels for a leather goods house . . . leave Monday and comes home Friday.

My niece who is 19 took a business course and now works in my husband's office. Two months ago he invited her on a week's trip to see the Pacific Northwest. I thought it would be educational for her and I encouraged it. Two weeks later he took her on a trip to see Northern California. Yesterday he told me he's taking her to Colorado.

Her mother thinks it's grand that she's getting to see the country but she's afraid the girl is missing too much work. Some evil-minded female at the office laughingly hinted that maybe I have a problem and ought to write Ann Landers. So . . . I'm writing. What do YOU think?—RELAXED

Dear Relaxed: I think it's wonderful that you're "relaxed" and far be it from me to put a bee in your bonnet, but I agree with the girl's mother that she's missing too much work and a halt should be called to these educational trips.

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Jackie Connor Honored At Bridal Party Series

The days prior to her wedding on July 10 to Gene Williams have been happy days for Jackie Connor, who has been entertained at a series of pre-nuptial bridal showers.

Pink wedding bells and streamers decorated the table, which was centered by a cake bearing the names of the couple, at a shower given by Mrs. Zuma Mako and Mrs. Delores Weber at the Mako home.

Bringing gifts for the future bride were Mmes. Mary Jean Crum, Doreen Lewis, Bonnie Butler, Gerri Swank, Janet Vestman, Marilyn Thorson, Julia Kelly, Gail Wright, Eloide Grubbs, Gloria Fenter, Lenora Carrington, Nadine Holstrom, Delores Trampus, Bea Williams, Myrtle Summer; Misses Jean Kellman, Shirley Endo and Kathy Williams.

Sending gifts were Mmes. Joy Simmons, Linda Sprivey, and Miss Flora Hameetman. On June 20, Mrs. Eva Lipari entertained at a shower for Miss Connor at her home, 3339 Dalemead Ave., Torrance.

Pink bells and miniature brides were used in decorating. The cake, decorated with roses and hearts and the names of the couples, was baked by the bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. Dorothy Englehardt.

The bride-elect was showered with many lovely gifts from the bridegroom's relatives: Mmes. Ethel Williams, T. Bricker, Dorothy Englehardt, Ada Putnam, Bea Williams, Eva Lipari, Myrtle Summers; Misses

Janet Engelhardt, Diane Engelhardt, and Kathy Williams.

Women of the Western Avenue Baptist Church gathered to compliment the bride-to-be with Mmes. Pearl Callaway, Helen Smith, Verona Roberts and Hattie Averill serving as hostesses. Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Eloide Grubbs and Mrs. Marilyn Thorson.

Refreshments were served from a table decorated in pink, red and white carnations.

Guests were Mmes. Marie Wright, Neil McGuire, Eloide Grubbs, Vernice Yarbrough, Lorna Bower, Marilyn Thorson, Malvene Parker, Ruthy Enrietta, Clarice Howry, Hattie Averill, Verona Roberts, Helen Smith, Pearl Callaway, Bea Williams, Myrtle Summers and Miss Kathy Williams.

Sending gifts were Mmes. Edna Ferrin, Effie Box and Ola Taylor.

Relatives Here

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Atkins, 621 Cota Ave., had as their guests for the past week their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner and Paula, Ricky and Pam of San Lorenzo. The Turner family left Saturday for their home. Also spending a week here with the Atkins are Mrs. Atkins' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Early McCoy and Dan and Larry of Tulsa, Okla. They will leave next Wednesday.



MRS. F. KEITH LYON ... Nancy Farrell



SORORITY OFFICERS . . . Looking forward to a year of friendship and philanthropy, these new officers of the Eta Lambda chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority talk over the coming year's plans. They are, from left, Mrs. Lee Larson, recording secretary; Mrs. Reynolds Gorsuch, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William Den Balke, vice president, and Mrs. Rodney Freeman, president.

In Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Mack and Phillip and Billy are spending two weeks in Colorado visiting with relatives.

In the Sierras

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Holechek and Mark and Brian, of Glenburn Ave., are spending three weeks in the High Sierras. They just purchased a new trailer and are using it on their mountain stay.

Eta Lambdas Install New 1959-60 Officers

Mrs. Rodney M. Freeman of Hollywood Riviera was recently installed as president of the Eta Lambda Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International Sorority.

Installing officer at the candlelight ceremony was immediate past-president, Mrs. Robert J. Powers who gave the incoming officers their oath of office from the sorority's international by-laws.

New board members are Mmes. Freeman; William E. Den Blaker, vice-president; Lee Larson, recording secretary; Reynolds Gorsuch, corresponding secretary; and Edison L. Crawford, treasurer.

At the business meeting just past, Mrs. Freeman announced the chairman of the board has selected those to serve for the coming year. They are: Mmes.

Robert W. Hill, social chairman; Albert Seaver, ways and means; Edward L. Davis, publicity; Charles E. McKenney, education; Parke Meek, welfare; Louis G. Gilster, contact; Vernon K. Anderson, Jonquil Girl; and Robert Powers, parliamentarian.

At this meeting Mrs. Powers was presented with a past-president's gavel pin guard, as a token of appreciation of her service for the past year.